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Applicant : Maxim B. Belotserkovsky et al.
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Examiner : Joshua A. Kading
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed December 27, 2004 for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending March 27, 2005 was set in which to respond and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a three-month extension, ending June 27, 2005 is hereby requested, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

As certified in a certificate of mailing included on the signature page of this document pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, the present response is being mailed on June 17, 2005 and, therefore, it is respectfully submitted that this response is timely.

Please enter the remarks as follows:

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